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FM AMEMBASSY PARIS

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 3067

INFO USINT ALGIERS

AMEMBASSY AMMAN

AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMEMBASSY JIDDA

AMEMBASSY KUWAIT

AMEMBASSY LONDON

AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV

AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

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DEPT PASS USINT CAIRO

BEIRUT PASS USINT BAGHDAD

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS, XF, FR

SUBJECT: PALESTINIAN TERRORISTOPERATION IN PARIS

REF: BEIRUT 10607

SPECULATION EQUALLY RIFE IN PARIS ABOUT IDENTITY AND
AFFILIATION OF TERRORISTS. WHILE ISRAELI PROVOCATION MENTIONED
AS ONE POSSIBILITY, MORE COMMON EXPLANATION IS THAT TERRORISTS
EITHER IN LIBYAN PAY OR WERE UNCONTROLLED MINORITY
FACTION OPERATING INDEPENDENTLY OF PLO OR FATEH. LATTER
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THESIS SOMEWHAT LESS THAN CREDIBLE IN VIEW CAREFUL TRAINING

AND PLANNING WHICH APPEAR TO HAVE GONE INTO EFFORT. FRENCH DO NOT YET HAVE CLEAR IDENTIFICATION OF TERRORISTS, THOUGH FOREIGN OFFICE OFFICIAL HAS TOLD US HAT THEY WERE DEFINITELY PALESTINIANS. JORDANIAN EMBASSY SUBSCRIBES TO THEORY THAT INCIDENT WAS EFFORT TO UNDERMINE JORDANIAN RAPPROCHEMENT WITH SYRIA AND EGYPT.

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NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED CAIRO.

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